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Approval and Promulgation of Air Quality Implementation Plans;

Indiana; Sulfur Dioxide and Nitrogen Dioxide Ambient Air Quality

Standards

AGENCY: Environmental Protection Agency (EPA).

ACTION: Proposed rule.

SUMMARY: EPA is proposing to approve a request submitted by the Indiana Department of Environmental Management on April 15, 2011, and supplemented on January 30, 2013, to revise the Indiana state implementation plan (SIP) for nitrogen dioxide (NO₂) and sulfur dioxide (SO₂) under the Clean Air Act. This submittal consists of revisions to the Indiana Administrative Code that amend the national ambient air quality standards (NAAQS) for NO₂ and SO₂ to be consistent with the NAAQS that EPA promulgated in 2010.

DATES: Comments must be received on or before [INSERT DATE 30 DAYS AFTER PUBLICATION IN THE FEDERAL REGISTER].

ADDRESSES: Submit your comments, identified by Docket ID No. EPA-R05-OAR-2010-0083, by one of the following methods:

1. www.regulations.gov: Follow the on-line instructions for submitting comments.

- 2. E-mail: blakley.pamela@epa.gov
- 3. Fax: (312) 692-2450.
- 4. Mail: Pamela Blakley, Chief, Control Strategies Section
 (AR-18J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West Jackson
 Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604.
- 5. Hand Delivery: Pamela Blakley, Chief, Control Strategies
 Section (AR-18J), U.S. Environmental Protection Agency, 77 West
 Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604. Such deliveries are
 only accepted during the Regional Office normal hours of
 operation, and special arrangements should be made for
 deliveries of boxed information. The Regional Office official
 hours of business are Monday through Friday, 8:30 AM to 4:30 PM,
 excluding Federal holidays.

Please see the direct final rule which is located in the Final Rules section of this <u>Federal Register</u> for detailed instructions on how to submit comments.

FOR FURTHER INFORMATION CONTACT: Charles Hatten, Environmental Engineer, Attainment Planning and Maintenance Section, Air Programs Branch (AR-18J), Environmental Protection Agency, Region 5, 77 West Jackson Boulevard, Chicago, Illinois 60604, (312)886-6031, hatten.charles@epa.gov.

SUPPLEMENTARY INFORMATION: In the final rules section of this

Federal Register, EPA is approving the State's SIP submittal as a direct final rule without prior proposal because the Agency

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views this as a noncontroversial submittal and anticipates no adverse comments. A detailed rationale for the approval is set forth in the direct final rule. If we do not receive any adverse comments in response to this rule, we do not contemplate taking any further action. If EPA receives adverse comments, we will withdraw the direct final rule, and will address all public comments in a subsequent final rule based on this proposed rule. EPA will not institute a second comment period. Any parties interested in commenting on this action should do so at this time. Please note that if EPA receives adverse comment on an amendment, paragraph, or section of this rule and if that provision may be severed from the remainder of the rule, EPA may adopt as final those provisions of the rule that are not the subject of an adverse comment. For additional information, see the direct final rule, which is located in the Final Rules section of this Federal Register.

Dated: April 29, 2013.

Susan Hedman, Regional Administrator, Region 5. [FR Doc. 2013-11305 Filed 05/13/2013 at 8:45 am; Publication Date: 05/14/2013]